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Dear Mr. Wood:

Pursuant to IC 4-22-2-28, the Indiana Economic Development Corporation ("IEDC") has reviewed the economic impact analysis for small business associated with rule changes contained in LSA Document 09-168 proposed by the Indiana Department of Child Services ("DCS"). The proposed rule adds 465 IAC 2-15 concerning older youth foster care. The proposed rule establishes eligibility requirements and procedures for youth over age 18 and under age 21, who have been in foster care under supervision of the Department of Child Services (DCS) or a juvenile court immediately before becoming age 18, to request continuation in a current foster home placement, or placement in a new foster home.

The economic impact statement prepared by the DCS indicates that the proposed rule will result in no increased costs to small businesses.

The IEDC does not object to the economic impact to small businesses associated with the proposed rule. If you have any questions about the comments contained herein please contact me at 232-8962 or rasberry@iedc.in.gov.

Regards,

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